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PATENT APPLICATION

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Title: SYSTEM, APPARATUS, AND METHOD FOR EFFECTING NETWORK

CONNECTIONS VIA WIRELESS DEVICE USING RADIO FREQUENCY

IDENTIFICATION

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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 9, 2009, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, the Applicant submits the present amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111. The present response is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114.

Claims 1-17, 19-35, 40-43, 45-48, and 50-57 remain pending in the application.

Claims 1, 6-8, 13, 20, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 40, 45 48, and 50 have been amended. Claims 18, 36-39, 44, and 49 have been cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer. Claims 51-57 have been added. The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of all pending claims.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 14 of this paper.